ATAAPS Overview 05-19-03

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- Owned/maintained by: DOD, Technology Services Organization, Pensacola, FL
- Application hosted: DOE Headquarters, Office of the CIO
- Two Environments: (1) Client Server and (2) Web Access by Remote Site Users
- Roles in ATAAPS:
 - Employees input and review their own labor data (limited to designated organizations)
 - Timekeepers input labor for multiple employees and other actions, e.g., adding/changing certifiers
 - Certifiers/Alternate Certifiers certify T&A
 - System Administration create and process interface files
- Deadlines For Input:
 - File is certified and submitted by Monday night of pay week; corrections can be made on Tuesday and Wednesday and resubmitted.
 - First pass of data to payroll will run on Wednesday night.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES:

- Web-based in lieu of DOS-based.
- Approving officials will certify T&A electronically.
 - Certifiers cannot change an employee's time in ATAAPS. Only timekeepers and the database administrator can change an employee's time.
- All hours will be recorded in 15-minute increments.
- Flexible enough to allow timekeepers and/or employees to input time.
- ETACs will no longer need to consolidate timekeepers' information and transmit a file to Payroll.
- Downloading new versions of the T&A system is no longer needed.
- Use of default labor and favorites may reduce input by timekeepers.
- New codes for recording T&A are listed in ATAAPS Help.

CONTINUED PRACTICES:

- Time will continue to be recorded by whoever is currently recording the time.
- ATAAPS accommodates different types of work schedules, i.e., AWS, 4/10.
- Procedures for requesting leave remain the same.

TRAINING:

- Just in time training to begin during the June timeframe.
- Focus is on a half-day class format (hands-on training).
- Train the trainer approach ETACs to train timekeepers/certifiers.
- Training to be held at the following locations:
 - DOE Headquarters (Germantown and Forrestal locations)
 - NETL, Pittsburgh, PA
 - WAPA, Lakewood, CO
 - Albuquerque, NM
- Extensive On-line Help in ATAAPS (detailed process instructions)
- Exploring options of recording training session
- Developing guide for ATAAPS
- Setting up access capability for employees to test software
- ATAAPS Demonstrations
 - 6/12 1:00 3:00 pm, Germantown Auditorium - 6/19 1:00 – 3:00 pm, Forrestal (large) Auditorium

REGISTRATION:

Check the ESS website (https://mis.doe.gov/ess/) for class availability. To register for ATAAPS training, contact your Training Coordinator to register you for Course Code #001076 and the appropriate session number as listed below via the Corporate Human Resources Information System (CHRIS) (http://chris.inel.gov). Training material will be available in June on the CHRIS web site at https://chris.inel.gov/payroll

Training Schedule

ATAAPS training will be conducted at the following sites. The morning sessions will be held from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, and the afternoon sessions will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

DOE Headquarters, Germantown, MD, Room C-208

Date	AM Session # In CHRIS	PM Session # In CHRIS	
06/09		0058	
06/10	0015	0016	
06/11	0017	0018	
06/23	0043	0044	
06/24	0045	0046	

06/25	0047	0048
06/26	0049	0050
06/27	0051	0052

DOE Headquarters, Washington, DC, Room GE-016

AM Session # In CHRIS	PM Session # In CHRIS	
0019	0020	
0021		
0035	0036	
0037	0038	
0039	0040	
0041	0042	
	In CHRIS 0019 0021 0035 0037 0039	

NETL, Pittsburgh PA, Room 922A

Date	AM Session # In CHRIS	PM Session # In CHRIS	
06/03	0009	0010	
06/04	0011	0012	
06/05	0013	0014	

WAPA, Lakewood, CO, Room 390

Date	AM Session # In CHRIS	PM Session # In CHRIS
06/17	0025	0026
06/18	0027	0028
06/19	0029	0030 (this session is restricted for WAPA employees only)